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We will arrive in Bow Island on MONDAY, MARCH 19th, with a carload of young heavy horses.

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There's but one way of obtaining business--by publicity. But one way of obtaining publicity--by advertising.

Wheat Belt Motor Club

Formation of Auto Club Draws Representatives From All Over the District

A large attendance numbering between seventy and eighty persons was present in the Oldfellow's Hall on Monday night to discuss the formation of an automobile Club for this district.

The chair was taken at eight o'clock by the president of the Board of Trade W. P. Cotton, who after outlining the purpose for which the meeting was called, asked for suggestions for names that would be suitable for an organization such as that contemplated.

Several were submitted and after a short discussion that put in by R. S. Beattie, vis., "The Wheat Belt Motor Club," was finally decided upon.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Hon. Pres.—Hon. A. J. McLean.
Pres.—R. S. Beattie, Bow Island.
Vice-Pres.—P. Buchling, Winnifred.
Sec.-Treas.—A. F. Weirs, Bow Island.

Directors—Warren Fuller (Whitla), Jas. Lynde (Burndett), and H. E. Sande, (Grassy Lake.)

Membership Committee—E. C. Gage (Bow Island), chairman; A. Flamm (Minto), K. Campbell (Burndett), I. C. Bremner (Winnifred), W. Henderson (Bow Island), John Ell (Grassy Lake), Geo. Lomas (Burndett).

The president (R. S. Beattie) then took the floor and while speaking for a little time on the subject, gave a few details of what the Lethbridge Club proposed doing. His said particular attention would be paid to the matter of road signs and repair of roads etc.

He also submitted a copy of the constitution adopted by Lethbridge.

After being put to the meeting the constitution of Lethbridge was adopted as the constitution of this club.

It was also decided that all those who pay their subscription previous to April 1st become charter members.

The matter of erecting road signs was left to the executive. This committee was also requested to interview the various rural municipalities in the district regarding the state of the roads, and also write the Province at Government on the matter.

The president announced that the Lethbridge Club had decided to write to the military authorities offering the services of its members in transporting troops to any part of the district that was threatened by trouble of any kind.

Upon this question being put to the meeting, every member at once signed his willingness to act in a similar capacity.

The membership fee was fixed at 85

and upon a call being made the following were enrolled as members of the Wheat Belt Motor Club:—I. C. Freeman,

P. Buchling, R. S. Beattie, O. H. Cooper, Dr. Peterson, T. L. Blaine,

J. F. Harris, E. Gosselin, A. F. Weirs,

J. R. Agar, W. P. Cotton, J. W. Tamburini, B. Ingoldsby, Arthur Gage, E. E. Thompson, A. Flamm, C. Prendergast, T. Cooper, F. Fairhurst, E. E. Almond, Dr. H. B. Martin, H. C. Smith, Geo. B. Lomas, S. G. Jameson,

J. W. Hunt, G. H. Bell, M. F. McMahon, Ed. Nicoll, F. W. Brown, R. J. Schilling, J. Parker, J. E. Campbell, J. Christensen, Roy Campbell, Bert Campbell, M. Hanna, F. Sutton, H. King.

Fertile Plains Mission

Fertile Plains School Service—Every Sunday at 11 o'clock. Be sure to come next Sunday.

Haycock School service every Sunday at 3 p.m. until otherwise stated. I would like to give everybody a cordial invitation to visit all these services.

The friends from the Comptonville district are asked to assist in the Fertile Plains school.

Wip. Superintendent.

Mun. of Forty-Mile Council Minutes

March 3d.
Councillors present — Walker (Rowe), Councillors Roberts, Flamm, Sewell, Neil, Halverson.

Minutes read and approved.

Motion by councillor Roberts that we hold an election in Division No. 8 on Pound by law and Patriotic by law on March 23rd. Carried.

Motion that bill of T. A. Marine for damages of weeds plowing over his land be disallowed. Carried.

Postkeepers Dykson's and Foster's reports were adopted.

The following bills were ordered

	Borden	H.D.	\$450
Haycock	B.D.	300	
Portage	S.D.	300	
Redeem	"	300	
Residence	"	200	
Rounddale	"	300	
China	"	300	
Smalls	"	300	
Registers	Alberta	150	
Wheatmen	Manitoba	75	
Bow Island	Hudson Bay	75	
Rowe	88.75		

Motion that we make the transfer of n.w. 1, sec. 34-41 s. w. 4 to J. J. Daley the owner at the time of forfeiture. Carried.

Motion to lay over enforcement proceedings for one month. Carried.

The bills by the delegates to the Municipal convention were ordered

T. H. Walker	225
A. J. Halverson	25
T. C. Walker	10

fees for membership.

Motion that the Reeve appoint a committee to interview Mr. Nelson Johnson, the big game collector for doing roadwork throughout the area involved. Carried.

Committee received and Flamm well appointed.

Motion of adjournment to meet March 31st. Carried.

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30-in. hog fence 40c. per rod.

Iron Siding at less than Wholesale.



AUCTION SALE OF TOWN LOTS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the lots in the town of Bow Island, acquired by the town of Bow Island under the provisions of the Land Act, will be sold at public auction in single lots at the Town Hall of the said Town on Friday the 23rd day of March, A.D. 1917, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon.

Notice Cash.

Auctioneer, D. M. Garrison.

W. W. W. Klemm.

Secy-Treas. Town of Bow Island.

Lots Block Plan No.

23-30 (both incl.) 1 5800-S.

1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 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that a world-wide famine can only be averted by increasing this supply?

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that a "food famine" would be a worse disaster to the Empire and her Allies than reverses in the Field?

YOU CAN—

help thwart Germany's desperate submarine thrust on the high seas.

YOU CAN—

do this by helping to make every bit of land in Canada produce—the very last pound of food stuffs of which it is capable.

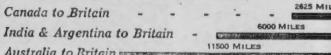
AND REMEMBER—

that a man can say that he has fully done his part—who having land in a garden patch, or farm, or ranch—fails to make it produce food to its utmost capacity.

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WOOL,
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FLAX FIBRE,
DRIED
VEGETABLES

Flowering Valley.

Seven miles northeast of Winnifred

March 20, 1917.

Always something doing in this district. Recently two marriages, two dances a box social and a supper.

A telegram was received from Cal-

gary announcing the serious illness of

Mrs. Roy Colthorpe (nee Miss Selma Johnson.) Notwithstanding this

news a dance was held in honor of the

newly-married couple on Wednesday,

2lst. Mr. Simpson's slight load from

Bow Island, and Mr. Fisher's load

from Winnifred, as well as many in

the district attended. Mr. Carl John-

son added and his sister played the

organ and a most enjoyable evening

was spent.

Mrs. Chas. Dowler returned on a

brief visit, but will go back to the

States and double there for the next

two or four years "and when the

war is over," like the man in the song

of the "Maudie Cavalier" "you'll

return to my country and your dear

PATRIOTIC RALLY

(Alberta city news please copy)

Britain and her allies still have

friends. The Flowering Valley, S.A.

237 of Alberta, wholly

settled, is a Canadian country and

an immense throng of prosperous

citizens packed the School house to

assist the Patriotic Fund on Friday

evening, March 5th, and to swell that

Fund to the extent of \$55. Last Nov-

24th a big netted a large sum

but nothing like the Big Pine Bow

Social and dance of last night.

Percy Colthorpe was the auctioneer

and some of the baskets sold for as

high as \$8 each. Mr. Emil Johnson

and family supplied the music. Mr.

S. H. Breathaur rendered a song in

fine style. The affair was held under

the auspices of the school trustees

Mr. A. M. Peterson, chairman, Mr. S.

H. Breathaur, secy., and Mr. Tom

Rapson.

The trustees have purchased for our

school a complete list of authorized

text books as well as a new football.

Mrs. S. H. Breathaur wife of one Secetary furnished the supper, other ladies visiting. Mr. Breathaur acted as caller.

Mr. Thomas Steel is teacher of this school.

Mr. Emil Johnson, Mr. Crouch and

also Mrs. Essery of Medicine Hat

were recently visitors to our school.

Howard White age 9 and Vicie

Johnson age 8 were added to our

class this week as new pupils and

more to follow shortly.

Mr. Wm. Bryant and Miss Beatrice

Breathaur drove together to Winnifred

today. It looks promising, promising.

One more month till Easter holidays.

Miss Hess is already busy but the

new article can't yet be gotten for

anything but friendship. Gold or silver

cannot buy 'em.

Mrs. Elery of Medicine Hat whose

husband is serving with the 6th Battalion

is in company with her two little ones visiting at Mr. Breathaur's.

Advertising Rates.

Card of thanks 50 cents. Local ads

not exceeding matter, 10c per line

first insertion, 8c per line each following

insertion.

Classified ads., etc., \$5c first insertion

and 25c each subsequent insertion.

Linen notices, 12c, per line first inser-

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insertion.

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BOW ISLAND, ALBERTA

Published Friday. \$1.50 a year.

Display advertising rates on applica-

tion.

The trustees have purchased for our

school a complete list of authorized

text books as well as a new football.

COAL

Get the Best Coal on Earth at the Essex for \$3.25 per ton. Summer price commencing March 1. Six miles north of Bow Island.

GEO. W. ESSEX

COAL! COAL!!

Owing to the likelihood of a Coal Famine, customers are urgently requested to place orders for their winter fuel as soon as possible.

Coal Mine situated on

Sec. 6-8 10

Two expert miners have been engaged

and are now working to commence immediately.

Remember, this is a local industry

and you can support it if necessary

this mine is to be kept open.

C. F. HENRY, prop.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

The sole head of a family, or any member of a family, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land, in Manitoba or Saskatchewan, or in Alberta, and the holder must appear in person at the Dominion Land Survey Office, or Sub-Agency for the District in which the land is situated, and pay a fee of \$100, and if the land is not occupied by him, he may make application for a homestead.

Domestic—Six months' residence upon the land, and payment of taxes for five years.

A homesteader may have his residence elsewhere, provided he makes arrangements for the care of the land.

Live stock may be substituted for taxation up to the value of \$100.

For instance, a horse standing in a corral may be substituted for taxation up to the value of \$100.

Land may be held in common by a family, and the holder may be a minor, provided he is of sound mind.

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Of General Interest

Complement square, Cogoleum by the square yard at Southern Alberta Hardware Co., stores Special rates for large quantities.—Adv.

Remember a bottle of the "Standard Cheviot" Company's guaranteed Formuladehyde in sealed bottles with every \$2 you spend at any of Brown's Hardware Stores—Adv.

One thousand Paper Shelves on hand at the Southern Alberta Hardware Co. stores, Bow Island, Winsted and Burdett. Look them over and see if we have what you want.—Adv.

Those who are thinking of laying a plot of earth should consider the following facts before giving a final and definite satisfaction to all of the operators. Come in and get prices on the 8 x 10, 12 x 18, 18 x 30 and 30 x 40; all of these will develop the horse power to pull the few load Oil Pails in Calgary at some prices. Swinney son & Co.—Adv.

An attempt is being made to reorganize the town band. Any one interested can get all information on application to H. L. Jameson. It is to be hoped that the attempt will be successful and that the new band in a while will give the subject their hearty support and encouragement.

The members of Women's Institute, Bow Island, are arranging to put on a play Saturday. About a dozen girls will be in it. We are assured that they will all be a great success, especially Uncle Eph. The play will be given in aid of the rest room which the Women's Institute is trying so hard to get established.

E. Doring, who has charge of the big improvements in the Oldfellow's Hall, has now almost completed his work and the result is very creditable. It is always a difficult matter to recruit a local band and make it popular, but Mr. Doring has accomplished this feat with complete success, and Bow Island now has a hall that compares favorably with any other in the province, in size of the town being considered.

See Brown at Bow Island, see Parkr. at Winifred, see Oulton at Burdett and get your Formuladehyde for nothing. Southern Alberta Hardware Co.—Adv.

Mr. Lee & Co. gave an entertainment last Friday night in the presence of a crowded audience. The four members comprising the company were all equally successful in their respective parts. It was a most part better than another it was held. A brilliant fragmentation of some well-known old nursery rhymes, several of which were adapted to current events and were quite good. Jimmy Fox has been on the stage quite a large number of years, but his present appears to be as much in evidence as ever it was, and a crowded audience seems to be his perquisite.

Hey U Look

MR. FARMER

Dear Sir,

Several parties have told me that you have a few parties interested in buying your farm, and if you succeed in getting a good price, I am sure that you will sell your satisfaction at Auction.

Now, as you are I am interested in the Auctioneering side of the question as I am confident that you will be able to give me the information to tell you how to get the most \$88 out of your offerings, how to conduct your auction, how to get the best price, how to judiciously advertise; sale management, etc. I am looking for house for business, display or office, etc. such like.

I hope you can line up your sale in such a way as to pay my commission. If you are willing to follow my advice, I can assure you that you will succeed.

Certainly you are interested. Last your sale with me and give me the opportunity.

Yours very respectfully,

EARL J. GILLET,

Address: Whitch. S.W. 10-18

Auditors' Financial Statement

Annual Returns of the RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF FORTY-MILE No. 64 For the Year 1916.

	ASSETS
Balances from previous year	\$ 7083 20
Proceedings	1029 91
Municipal Taxes	1102 78
Education Taxes	1029 91
Postage	5 85
Proceedings	2 90
Fax Certificates	1028 25
Debtors	2158 40
Bank Overdraft	1028 25
Banking Cheques	312 01
Total	\$36917 55
	EXPENDITURES
On Notes	\$12242 75
Printing, Postage, Stationery	315 28
Salaries	3561 87
Assessors	130 00
Consel. & Meetings	1471 59
Mileage	283 70
Consult Fees, Supervision of Buildings	144 50
Refunds	144 50
Debtors	325 80
Death, Nuns, Wards and Hospital dues	2283 00
Grants	147 00
Agencies & Society	29 00
Salaries	144 50
Bank & Agents	311 00
Laterals	315 90
Practical Treasures, acc'tnt	370 57
School Districts	10685 61
Sundries	273 30
Bank Book Balance	3172 53
Total	\$36917 55
	LIABILITIES
On-standing Cheques	729 04
Uncollected Municipal Taxes	485 44
Due Sch. Dist. Acc't of collector's	3728 55
Uncollected School Taxes	14671 59
Interest on Bank without interest	102 28
Bank Overdraft	102 28
Salaries	3 80
Bank Book Balance	3172 53
Total	\$27345 63

Statement of Expenditures on Roads

Tp. 7, Rge. 16, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	\$ 31 73
Tp. 8, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	91 60
Tp. 9, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	5 09
Tp. 8, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	91 60
Tp. 9, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	5 09
Tp. 8, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	25 00
Tp. 9, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	Putting in Bridges and Repairs	25 00
Total	\$36917 55	77 99

Memorandum of Equipment

1 Safe, 2 Split Log Drags, Metal Culverts.

I certify to the correctness of this statement.

J. M. GIBBON, Secy-Treasurer,
T. A. KEVY A.Y.C. Auditor

Dated at Maleb, Alberta, this 28th day of February, 1917.

MUNICIPAL TAXES

Townships	Total Assessed Value	Current Taxes	Amount Collected	Total Amount Collected	Amount Collected
Tp. 7, Rge. Mer.					
Tp. 7, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	3850 98	670 98	540 94	971 50	4661 15
Tp. 8, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	4310 00	715 27	571 40	1061 00	5071 00
Tp. 9, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	1912 21	314 44	407 44	1381 88	655 00
Tp. 8, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	1229 00	847 24	521 08	1308 22	750 95
Tp. 9, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	1029 00	175 48	117 00	117 00	58 50
Tp. 7, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	4300 18	873 83	124 49	1398 23	747 58
Tp. 8, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	4410 00	860 60	251 35	1110 85	541 41
Tp. 9, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	4571 00	914 00	127 00	1032 00	516 00
Tp. 7, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	3859 21	705 02	421 82	121 84	610 12
Total	120 00	12 00	12 00	12 00	5 32

EDUCATIONAL TAXES

Townships	Arrears	Current Taxes	Total Taxes	Amount Collected	Amount Uncollected
Tp. 7, Rge. Mer.					
Tp. 8, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	68 00	81 21	152 35	103 77	16 58
Tp. 9, Rge. 10, Mer. 4	65 53	72 01	139 11	70 49	59 95
Tp. 8, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	131 50	99 00	269 01	94 30	179 01
Tp. 7, Rge. 11, Mer. 4	100 00	100 00	200 00	117 00	83 00
Tp. 8, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	100 00	99 00	198 00	112 00	86 00
Tp. 9, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	100 00	99 00	198 00	112 00	86 00
Tp. 7, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	81 00	81 00	162 00	93 20	68 80
Tp. 8, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	81 00	81 00	162 00	93 20	68 80
Tp. 9, Rge. 12, Mer. 4	81 00	81 00	162 00	93 20	68 80
Total	408 00	408 00	816 00	487 40	328 60

SCHOOL TAXES

Name of School District	Total Assessed Valuation	Mill Rate	Current Taxes	Arrears Taxes	Total Taxes Collected	Amount Uncollected	Amount paid S. D.	Amount in Excess of c'tent'
Burden	10844 00	3.8	750 92	949 13	1660 00	726 45	824 95	800 62
Bellman	2421	10.00	2421 00	887 06	3307 06	1000 00	1000 00	1000 00
Brownsdale	2457	114317 00	6.5	720 50	859 69	1660 00	632 48	977 11
Calgary	2307	10000 00	1000 00	1000 00	1000 00	1000 00	1000 00	1000 00
Charlton	2383	123239 00	7	836 37	703 00	1352 29	937 47	572 73
Conquestville	2984	108899 00	4.6	500 75	107 70	697 15	415 05	280 03
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Dertille Plains	2122	101010 00	6	600 99	107 00	597 15	387 00	209 00
Hays	2013	192200 00	5	1922 00	241 00	1228 30	814 53	408 01
Hays	2013	192200 00	5	1922 00	241 00	1228 30	814 53	408 01
Hightield	2381	250489 00	2	500 60	893 83	1332 00	504 74	1272 31
Jeanette	2312	141000 00	2.5	350 00	1429 03	1094 00	1542 03	1010 00
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Mornong Star	2389	42959 00	2.5	200 00	100 00	120 00	120 00	82 21
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Northview	2411	10000 00	1	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Sampson	2112	181608 00	4	722 53	634 04	1501 54	1250 38	1241 00
Selt	3775	151550 00	0.4	840 45	640 37	1480 85	568 85	922 00
Southern	2984	5500 00	1	550 00	75 00	525 00	525 00	863 25
Reinander	2642	162837 00	4.8	723 00	572 00	1907 82	604 04	700 00
Westfield	3948	187300 00	3.7	692 03	1432 47	3132 10	1005 13	5 08

ARE YOUR HAIL PREMIUMS EXCESSIVE?

OUR RATES ARE REASONABLE

TWENTY YEARS IN BUSINESS. LOSSES PAID

IN FULL

FULL GOVERNMENT DEPOSIT IN ALBERTA

GOVERNMENT BONDS FOR PROTECTION OF POLICY HOLDERS

WE ISSUE A FULL PAID POLICY. NO ASSESSMENTS

PROMPT ADJUSTMENTS AND SURE PAY

WE SETTLE WITHIN SIXTY DAYS AFTER PROOF OF LOSS

LICENSED FOR PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

ASSETS \$450,000.00

Total \$27345 63

Total \$36917 55

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**The Price of Milk**

The Hard Conditions that Confront Farmers in These Times

I have noticed the articles appearing in the Post about the cost of production and prices of grain and consider it altogether unreasonable to expect such a condition from men who are already not getting fifty per cent. of the cost to the consumer could feed three or four more cows. I don't care to work for nothing. If the city people won't eat less meat instead of paying the farmer a little extra, they may also look up other sources for milk.

If the hard folks in the city were obliged to work early and late like farmers' sons and daughters must do, we could care less if they should consider these company messengers.

The man who can figure profit out of a dairy now is the one who grows nearly all his grain feed and has a large family. Farmers' sons and girls need not start a home about the cost of milk, meat and produce at present. Farmers' sons and daughters not yet reached the limit of high places. So long as the rural population goes on growing, there will be people to be where the band plays, don't pin any faith in a reduced diet. Farmers' sons and daughters that any human being of ordinary common sense should be able to discern. Farmers' sons and daughters, beet, pork, dairy products and vegetables.

Our country population formerly was figured at about forty per cent. I have recently learned that it is falling to about twenty-five per cent. Rural districts are, like the city folks, getting the motoring fad and age-old traditions are being discarded. Some day you will see such mischievous summing up in gigantic figures—nearly half the world's food and funds. These are still greater evils indirectly caused when our country course of action.

The best advice I can give a city man is to get out into the country, milk or vegetables to get some gumption about him, move to the country and live there. He can reduce bills for less than four cents a gallon, he is going somewhere. He can get a good job in the country crops just as he wants them, and work right. He will not adopt the fad of the day, the growing woman, but if he is careful works hard and with good management, he can have a good margin for the winter, he can have his ratio of leisure but not when the big crowds are gone. —D. C. Knaff, man in the Public Ledger.

Our Solution

For two weary hours the small boy had howled, and the other occupants of the crowded railway carriage thought him a raving lunatic. "Oh, dear," moaned the young mother "distressingly, really, don't think I'm crazy, I'm with the world."

A sudden gleam of hope shone in the eyes of the old bairn opposite. "Is there any chance, Madam?" he inquired politely.

Exceptional

"Blings has two very exceptional children." "In what respect?" "He wants to go to Europe as an aviator and his girl has never mentioned a desire to go to Europe as a nurse." —Washington Star.

Old Fashioned Ideas

are being supplanted daily by newer and better things. This is particularly true where health and efficiency are concerned.

In hundreds of thousands of homes where tea or coffee was formerly the table drink, you will now find

POSTUM.

It promotes health and efficiency, and the old time nerve-frazzled tea or coffee drinker soon gives place to the alert, clear-thinking person who drinks delicious Postum and knows.

"There's a Reason."

No change in price, quality, or size of package

W. N. U. 1147

Unit Breaking is Necessity

Canadian Contingents Used as Reinforcements to Fill Up Gaps

The practice of the Canadian military authorities in England of breaking up units and sending them to various parts of the Dominion, stated recently in an interview in the Morning Post, had caused some alarm in the Dominion, which has been followed, we are advised, by additional information from choice but from reliable sources, that contingents which have been coming from Canada for a number of years past, are utilized as reinforcements to fill up the gaps caused by casualties. As the contingents arrive they are, when ready for active service, drawn upon to reinforce the regulars, and so rounded and thus keep regiments at the front up to normal strength.—London Post.

CHILBLAINS

KNITTED STOCKINGS WITH EGYPTIAN LINIMENT

Price 10¢ All Lengths

DODGE & CO., PROPRIETORS, NEW YORK.

War and Shipping

Statistics prepared at Washington do not indicate a serious diminution of shipping on the waterways of the world. In fact, the tonnage of shipping last year was only 200,000 tons, or one and one-half per cent. of the total shipping capacity of the world. The damage made by the submarines were more serious in the latter part of the year, but a real challenge offered to the merchant marine of the world by the under-water craft.—London Free Press.

Strangled With Aches is the only expression that seems to convey what is endured from an attack of rheumatism. The physician, Dr. D. Kellogg's Asthma Relief is beyond measure. Where all was strangled with pain, relief is now restored. Breathing becomes normal and the bronchial tubes completely cleared, thus unequalled remedy is now many times its price to all who use it.

Preparing for the End

It is understood that Gen. Carson is being placed in charge of demands of the Canadian government in England. The tremendous work involved in getting the many hundreds of thousands of men home from the homes after the conclusion of hostilities demands that a department be created to handle the work of preventing the great waste which hinders organization and reconstruction. —Montreal Star.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Coughs, &c.

Mrs. Doherty—Anything fresh about the war this morning, Mrs. Malone?

"Nothing much," replied Mrs. Malone. "The position is practically stalemate along the whole front."

Mrs. Doherty. "Truth, just wait till me to lodgers an' our Patrick gets to state male left. They are the bhoys to shift the grub!"—Montreal News.

—*Montreal Star*.

Pigs is Pigs

A Guaranteed, Standardized Product

It's Always the Safest Purchase

Out in Wisconsin there's a farmer who makes the best sausages in the world.

These he makes into sausages, but they aren't just plain sausages.

They're pigs, and they're guaranteed for children.

Dr. Willard's Pink Film is sold at Minard's.

Minard's procure them by mail at **\$2.50** from **Dr. W. Willard's Medicines, Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.**

"Alas! I want you to buy me a house." "I wish you were becoming literary, my dear," Fudge, the good-natured old housekeeper, said to her good-looking son, who was making a good carriage to practice balancing a house on his head.

A Corrector of Pulmonary Troubles—Many physicians now believe that the best way to cure tuberculosis is to give the patient Dr. Thomas' Electro-Oil in curing disorders of the respiratory processes, but the oil is recommended to all who suffer from these diseases with the result of great relief. It is a salutary inflammation in the bronchial tubes as no other preparation can.

The Blonde Beast'

German Philosopher Describes Teuton Butcher Very Clearly.

How many people use the term "the blonde beast" to describe the German? The author of the book in what connection and by whom it was first used.

The author has just a day or two ago in a well-known London club, and the celebrated Member told him that the German was called "the blonde beast" by the German philosopher Nietzsche. Due search led him to the original source of this epithet, which this truthfully descriptive epithet first appeared.

He then discarded the last traces of superficial civilization "they reveal," says Nietzsche, "to the lowest depths of savagery, and become reigning monsters, who perhaps in their attacks upon us, are not even aware of their own violence, victimizing torture, with as much cruelty and savagery as if they had never known the meaning of compassion, of pity, of sympathy, of tenderness, of love, of sympathy, and when they have once committed a wrong, they do not even feel guilty."

How did you like the shack hangings in that Shakespeare show?—He—There were no hangings, y' know; he had em' sword!

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is no specific treatment for this disease, except by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal deafness is the most common form of the malady among the English-speaking race.

Deep in the nature of all these noble races there lurks a mischievous, impudent, and audacious beast, lustfully roving in search of beauty and victory. From time to time this beast would be captured, and an escape, a return to the wilderness.

That the lamb should hear a grudge, and the lion a complaint, is not so very surprising; but that is not reason enough to blame the beast, for picking up little lambs.—London Daily Telegraph.

Frankly Admitted

"Do you enjoy grand opera?"

"Yes, I do," said Mr. Jones.

"I'm talking to you, we're not

here to discuss what I can't understand."

Washington Star.

Make Plans Now

A well-considered plan for the farm work, utilizing fully the time available, will bring success.

With the shortage of labor on our farms, the implement makers of the country are busily engaged in planning

the new tools that will assist time.

Sun Life Leads

Canadian Companies

Record Reflects the Highest Credit Upon the Directors

For the Sun Life of Canada's published statement for 1917, which appears in this issue, is in every sense a satisfactory document.

It shows a net premium income during 1916 of over \$42,750,000, the largest amount of premium ever written by any Canadian Life company in any year.

Insurances in force now total over

over \$8,500,000 to practically \$83,000,000, the largest assets ever accumulated by any Canadian company.

Claims paid during 1916 exceeded nearly \$18,500,000, an increase of over \$2,500,000 over that of 1915.

Net premium income for 1917 exceeded \$47,500,000, bringing total payments to policyholders since incorporation to \$60,000,000.

Since your

Increased Acreage Probable

Nearly one million and a quarter acres of land have been added in Manitoba in 1916, in preparation for the 1917 crop, and over one million eight hundred thousand acres fall-sown land.

This is an increase of over half a million acres more than in the amount of new breaking done in 1916.

Manitoba, June 27, '13.

Mann's Liniment Co., Limited.

Yarmouth, N.S.

Gentlemen—it affords me great pleasure and must be gratifying to you to learn that 6 bottles of your Liniment on a case of paralysis which my father was unable to walk in was restored to a normal condition. Hoping other sufferers may be benefited by the use of this Liniment.

GEO. H. HOLMES.

A Trifling Mistake.

We came across the trinkets one bitterly cold night and were billeted in a barn, where we were packed like sardines in a tin.

Then, with cold we were soon asleep. I was wakened in the night by one of our chaps trying to shake me awake.

After he had been trying for a next hour, I heard the fellow say:

"What the dickens are you doing?"

"Putting on my boots," was the reply.

"Well, that's my foot, you idiot!"

"How do you manage to keep your cook so long?"

"My husband has promised her to stay with us until we sell off our farm, when we will sell off he will buy her an auto."

"But I didn't know you had any old prospects."

"We haven't."

More About the H. C. of L.

With all commodities soaring in price, it behoves the buyer to look for full value in every article.

When buying matches specify

EDDY'S

Their quality is beyond question; but besides this, every box is a generously filled box.

Look out for short-count matches. There are many on the market.

Avoid imposition by always, everywhere, asking for EDDY'S.

When buying Your Piano

Insist on having an Otto Higel Piano Action

Dutch Syndicate Leases Land

A Dutch syndicate, of which Gerard Los of Amsterdam is head, has leased eight square miles of grazing land in the province of Saskatchewan, and will inaugurate a large dairy industry, according to reports. Dutch dairy cattle are being sent as the nucleus of the herd.

**"Only for the Teeth Have We Learned to Take Precaution in Advance of Pain."**

Experience has taught us that to wait for the toothache is to allow irreparable loss to be done.

But why do we not apply this lesson in caring for the general health, and by keeping the blood rich and the nervous energy at high-water mark, reduce sickness to a minimum and prolong life?

There are many symptoms to warn you of the weak, watery condition of the blood and exhausted nerves, and by the timely use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food it is not difficult to restore the blood to the teeth and the starved nerves back to health and vigor.

But just as the teeth cannot be saved after decay has gone too far, so the nerves can never be replaced once they are dead.

On this account it is a thousand times better to be warned by sleeplessness, headache, indigestion, tired feelings and muscular weakness rather than to neglect treatment and allow nervous prostration, locomotor atrophy or paralysis to develop.

That Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the greatest of nerve restoratives is being proven every day, and you will find the evidence in the daily and weekly papers.

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**Miscellaneous Adverts****For Sale**

For Sale—That chaff s.w. 28-3-10-4. Also numerous other good lands if you contemplate buying anywhere. Consult J. R. Ager, Box 183, Bow Island. He can help you.

For Sale

Bargain—John Davis Gang Plow, 12 inch, both sets bottoms even, shares, high lift. Guaranteed. Willard Andrews, N.W. 28-9-11 west of Bow Island. pd-12.

Land For Sale

Vancouver & California Railroad Co., Grand Trunk. This land is located in United States by Act of Congress in 1862, and is now in the possession of the Canadian Government. There have been 100,000 acres opened for homestead and sale. The land is well suited for cultivation, being some of the best land left in the United States. Now is the opportunity to buy land at low prices. Sections and description of soil, climate, rainfall, elevation, etc. Postal address, Bow Island, Box 183, Bow Island, Oregon.

Land For Sale

The south-east quarter (S.E. 1/4, Section Sixteen, 10th Township Ten, Box River) contains 100 acres, twenty-five (25) acres cultivated, fenced, house, water, teams to suit. Price \$100 per acre. Box 183, Third Avenue S., Minneapolis, Minn. Or J. W. Ager, Bow Island.

For Sale

Stallion, Halumus Prince Prime (2718). This horse has won prizes in Toronto and other eastern cities, is easily broken and a first-class stock horse. — S. G. Jamieson, Bow Island.

For Sale

Stock, Wagons, Mowers, for sale. Apply E. E. Willmett, Bow Island.

Cows For Sale

A number of Milch Cows for sale. Seven miles south of Winnifred, J. M. E. Luther, Section 6-18, Winnifred.

Strayed

One black Golden, about 1300 lbs., baled up V.L.—on right hip. Stayed about three weeks ago. \$10 reward will be given for information leading to recovery. — N. A. Amble, Box 100, Bow Island, P.C.

Estray

One brown Mare with small white spot in forehead. Full blooded, about 1000 lbs. Heavy with foal, 1 white hind foot, looks like a Clydesdale. For information leave a note or recover. Manuel Durkee, Box 10, Bow Island.

\$1000 Reward

Want to know \$1000 at \$ per month on A quarter section in 18-10-11 clear. Taxes up-to-date. First mortgage security. Address "Short Letters," care of Review Office, Bow Island.

Estray

Three year old Cow, red and white, sharp horns. \$5 reward for information. J. H. Fisher, Winnifred.

For Sale

For Sale—Pigeon Seed, Regent Red Eggs. This wheat was shipped in from a seed mill last year and is in peak condition. It is guaranteed to be pure. \$2 per bushel. Chas Thompson, Box 1, N.E. 31-11-10.

\$10 Reward

For information leading to the recovery of a fine cow, held in Bow Island, Box 100, Winnifred. \$1000 reward. Also one man 2 year old steer, brandel R on left ear. Harry Jas. B. Mitchell, Box 164, Bow Island.

MORTGAGE SALE

Pursuant to the order of His Honor Judge J. A. Jackson made herein in the matter of the application of the Honourable the Merchants' Bank of Canada is Plaintiff, and Cyril M. Smith, George W. McLean, John I. Smithwick, and Cyril B. Smith, v. R. F. Darforth, Administrator of the Estate of Skoderga in the State of Maine, Plaintiff, and the heirs of the estate of Skoderga in the State of Maine, Defendants, and the court having made its findings of fact and the court having made its award, it is ordered and directed that:

The total amount of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred and fifty million dollars, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid by the subscribers of bonds for the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan previously issued.

The instalment amounts will be paid in full on the 16th day of April, 1917, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rate of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable for forfeiture.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, may be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge on the revenues of the Dominion.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any Assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the April instalment.

Script certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the principal.

When the term of notice has been paid in full and the amount of the holder's account is in balance, he may withdraw his funds by the bank receiving the same, or may exchange for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

WAR LOAN**DOMINION OF CANADA**

Issue of \$150,000,000 5% Bonds Maturing 1st March, 1937

Payable at par at Ottawa, Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Victoria, and at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

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A FULL HALF-YEAR'S INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON 1st SEPTEMBER, 1917.

THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE USED FOR WAR PURPOSES ONLY.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above-named Bonds for Subscription at 96, payable as follows:

30 "	16th April, 1917;
30 "	15th May, 1917;
26 "	15th June, 1917.

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Delivery of script certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The interest will be except from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturation at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

The interest on the fully registered bonds will be paid by cheque, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid by cheque or by coupons. Both cheques and coupons, at the option of the holder, will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond, the holder of a registered bond will retain the right to convert into bonds of the same denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognized bond and stock brokers having offices and branches in business in Canada will be allowed a commission of three-eighths of one cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the holder of a bond issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915, or in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by surrender of five per cent debenture stock maturing 1st October, 1919. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

SUBSCRIPTION LISTS WILL CLOSE ON OR BEFORE THE 23rd OF MARCH, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, March 12th, 1917.



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THE IMPORTANT PART PLAYED BY MINE FIELDS IN NAVAL WARFARE

BARBED WIRE ENTANGLEMENTS DO PROTECTING TRENCHES FROM
ATTACKS OF THE ENEMY

Mine Fields Answer Just the Same Purpose Afloat as the Barbed

Wire Entanglements Do in Protecting Trenches from

Attacks of the Enemy

While the army is hammering away on the west front to break through "barbed wire" and other devilish entanglements of the present war, the navy has to realize, however, that the navy has to face entanglements of a different sort, and that the navy must have those mine fields if it wants to break through.

An up-to-date map of the North Sea, showing the British coast line, room of a British warship, is dotted with red marks which are added to daily news. Some of these red marks are mines, some British laid and some turned loose from German U-boats. They are laid in the sea, the sea, and a master thing to run against them is all the ingenuity that the devils in hell can find.

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Without it sea was free, what would it be now, or at least, in the narrow waters where all the most important fighting is done?

The mine fields limit the movements of the belligerent forces. Even the most powerful force, though it be of the seas, cannot go wherever it pleases because of the mine fields.

Whenever the sea German wants to "dig himself in" at a base he must lay mine fields around and behind, this protection proceed-

ed with his task, well knowing that no British submarine could get through to play the enemy's game by taking his ships into such a dangerous area.

And they are not little mine fields that the Germans put down. Some of those they have laid in the North Sea are quite the biggest entanglements ever constructed, containing as many thousands of tons of floating death traps.

Now the British have got enough of mine fields unless they want to

cross the North Sea. They have to lay mine fields unless they want to lay them in the English Channel, and where such exist they are bound to lay more to prevent any further attacks.

British submarines are very inquisitive and have a habi-

tude of attacking mine fields. They are bound to do so, for the thorniest "entanglement" which gives the Germans may unconfor-

mable moments.

Time and time have U-boats crossed the North Sea, and dared the German in his lair; so much so that he never feels wholly secure in his lair, though he, however, are quite another matter.

For them to attempt "dumping" a mine field would mean almost certain destruction.

Barbed wire erected against troops can be easily cut through, but when kind used to sea, cannot sweep away in this fashion.

A quadrangle of mine fields, when guns were worn out and the "entanglement" would still be impos-

sible to remove.

Minefields play the part of con-

crete fortifications in protecting. Often enough have the U-boats tried to entice the British ships into the trap, never once having them succeeded in getting them into the trap.

As such traps were laid in minenfelds have been the German way.

By bearing in mind what the presence of these death-beds areas does to the safety of the "entan-

glements" become better able to understand certain naval happenings. The "entanglement" seem a bit puzzling. Such, for example, as the period "comings-out" of the British naval forces.

Now and again it is reported by Hein that "Our high seas fleet went out to sea, and did not return and returned again without meeting the enemy."

For practical purposes two fleets might as well have a stretch of dry land between them as a minefield. They could not be compelled to ship to the other, and so long as the German high seas fleet kept its distance, the "entanglement" would continue to impinge.

Over 200 Indian Decoys

Special despatch from Delhi, India.

"The Victory, Lord Cholmondeley, at a special parade held at the vice regal lodges, presented military medals and ribbons to the Indian decoy officers and men. The scene was brilliant and impressive."

General Sir Charles Mordaunt, a large number of the headquarters staff and public were present.

"The three Victoria Crosses and several French and Indian decorations

"On the 1st December, the central Imperial Relief Fund, ex-

pects of certain Bombay and Madras districts funds, amounted to \$3,456,000."

Probably

"How do you suppose the New York fisherman ever happened to think of painting fish-gill red, to make the local fisherman?"

"Probably from watching the ships apply the rouge in the morning."

Mistress of the Sea

Germany's Thessa of a Blockade

Are Blockades Bad?

Great Britain cannot send one

of food to her armies in France by sea. She cannot forward any supplies to Canada, Australia, or any other country.

She could not stay home for three months if Germany had been

driven from her protecting troops

and military supplies by water. She

was three months longer if Germany

could cut off this military transport.

Anything approaching a blockade

of the sea, and thus the military

use of the sea, can be the slightest need for encouraging

on a single neutral right. If how-

ever Britain from waging the sea to re-in-

force her armies, she

cannot even prevent the Germans

from crossing to Germany by sea.

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Correspondence

N.B. The editor must not be held responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.

Wants Consolidation

To the Editor of the Bow Island Review:

March 19th.

Dear Sir:

In your last issue I noticed that the "Bow Island School Trustees" have purchased ground on which they intend to erect a school. An editorial in the same issue says that the present schools are overcrowded (and consequently the teachers are overwrought) and the intention is to build a commissaries school.

Permit me to say that it is a wise policy, a policy that commands itself to all who have the welfare of the community (and of the country as a whole) at heart. I would suggest that the people take a larger step and erect a building that will not only house the children of District 188 but of all the Districts immediately surrounding Bow Island. Many in the vicinity have children of school age who are being denied an elementary education because there is no school or because school is open to them for a few months each year. Is this fair to the child? Is it fair to the parents? Is it fair to the community? I leave it to your readers to judge. We in Alberta have an educational law, but it is not being enforced in the schools in the observance of which Albertans can neither read nor write. We have come for better schools, and whatever method can be adopted than consolidating the schools in this community? We are backward in educational facilities, consequently the scholars are at a disadvantage. The surprise is, they do so well under the circumstances. Many, no doubt, will say the expense is too great for such a step to be taken. Is it? Well, let us reason together. Many parents send their children to high school in nearby towns paying board, lodging and other incidental expenses which is to many parents a great drain on their resources. Besides this, the boy or girl leaves the parental roof and they do just what they please without let or hindrance even although some may stay with relatives. To send many a boy or girl away from home in their early teens is just like sending them to Hades. Had we a consolidated school in Bow Island we would be able to give a high school education to all who wanted it. Trusting you will find space for the above in your valuable paper, and thanking you in advance,

I am,

Yours Respectfully,
AGRICOLA.

Objects to new SCHOOL SITE

To the Editor of the Bow Island Review:

Dear Sir:

May I ask for a small space in your valuable paper with regard to a paragraph in your issue of March 9th, in which your informant says "it was impossible to obtain a school site nearer than the one offered by Mr. Jones and which is not on the original townsite." May I among others beg to differ. Upon enquiry from original townsite owners and in justice to them, I wish to state that a block of lots next to the Roman Catholic church and English Church and in practically the centre of the town was offered, being block 22, and this block at a lower price of \$8 per lot, and also where a wall of the finest water in the district can be obtained at only a depth of 8 ft.

I also understand that if a larger site was required the owners were quite willing to offer same, so that please consider this as contradic the statement which probably twice the expenditure would be incurred if a central site was chosen.

And in conclusion may I say that I do not see why your correspondent should consider that other owners of land would hold up the price, as a good excuse for not asking them.

I propose they should be given the chance, and the people's wishes considered before any action is taken.

Thanking you for the space in your paper for views which I know quite a few other people hold in this matter but for sundry reasons not able to express.

Yours truly,

J. W. PARKER.

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Right Worshipful Grand Master R. White paid a visit on Saturday to Delta (Orange) Lodge, Bow Island.

Don't forget the military opening of the Ben-Ton Military store on Saturday, March 17th — Mrs. Gen. Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murphy who have been visiting in the States during the past winter, returned home this week.

The next meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at Mrs. Bruce's on March 24th. A good attendance of members is desired.

Some Stunt. Formaldehyde gives away with every \$5 purchase at the Southern Alberta Hardware Co.'s stores.—Advt.

Mrs. F. McWilliams accompanied by her mother Mrs. Adams, left Monday to attend the Convention of Women's Institutes at Calgary.

Mrs. E. E. Willmett is desirous of starting a class in water color painting, and will be glad to receive names of prospective pupils.—Phone No. 15.

Archie C. Gage has been appointed bailiff by the provincial government and Gen. Bruce has received the appointment of stock Inspector.

We have on hand a secondhand 16 single disc Van Brunt Drill which we wish to sell. Come and look at it. Price reasonable. Sweenumson & Co.—Advt.

Mrs. C. Grahame, who last week retired from the restaurant on Bell St., will probably remain here until about June, previous to joining her husband in the east.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. E. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. J. Pollett are visiting at Edmonton this week where the Grand Orange Lodge is in session.

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